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Mr. Steven H. Wisness, Director
U.S. Department of Energy
P.O. Box 550, MSIN: A2-15
Richland, Washington 99352

Dear Mr. Wisness:

Re: State Wastewater Discharge Permit 4502

A review of the Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMRs) submitted to the Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) for approval on August 31, 2000, Ltr. # 00-OSS-505, has been completed. The format and data input forms are acceptable. It is obvious your staff has gone to great lengths to develop a form that meets the requirements of the DMR.

Please remember that for each reporting, you will need to continue submitting an original and one copy of each DMR, signed in ink by a principal executive officer or their authorized agent.

If there is a change in the permit conditions or limits, it will be necessary for you to report according to those new conditions. It is the permittees responsibility to report in accordance with your permit requirements.

Thank you for being patient during the approval process. If you have any questions or further comments, please feel free to contact me at (509) 736-3045.

Sincerely,

Kathleen A. Conaway, Water Quality Permit Coordinator
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